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GOVERNMENT OF TRIPURA
LABOUR DEPARTMENT

No.F.22(41)-LAB/ENF/MW/IS/2022/678-93 Dated, Agartala, the **30th April, 2026.**

NOTIFICATION

In continuation of this Department's Notification No.F.22(41)-LAB/ENF/MW/IS/2022/356-72 dated 28th October, 2025 and in furtherance of the aforesaid Notification, the State Government hereby revises the Variable Dearness Allowance (VDA) on the basis of 6-monthly average Consumer Price Index Numbers for the period commencing from **01-07-2025 and ending on 31-12-2025**.The half yearly average Consumer Price Index is **59 point** for different categories of workers engaged in the employment of **"Incense Stick"**in Tripura. The Variable Dearness Allowance shall be payable with effect from **01-04-2026** by the employers to the workers/employees employed in the aforesaid employment as per the following schedule:

SCHEDULE

Average increase of CPI	Classification of work	Minimum basic wages	Previous VDA	Present VDA	Total minimum wages (3+4 + 5)
1	2	3	4	5	6
59	If the workers supply bamboo on his/ her own cost.	**Rs.**64.00/ Kg.	Rs.7.98	Rs.0.60	(a) **Rs.73.00** per Kg. incense sticks shall be paid by the owner/contractor, if the workers supply bamboo on his/her own cost.
	If the owners/ contractors supply bamboo to the workers.	**Rs.**46.00/kg .	Rs.5.74	Rs.0.43	(b) **Rs. 52.00** per Kg. incense sticks shall be paid by the owner/ contractor, if the owners/contractor s supply bamboo to the workers.
	Monthly rated workers.	**Rs.**6673.00/ month	Rs.831.29	Rs.62.27	(c)**Rs.7, 567.00** per month shall be paid to the monthly rated workers.

N.B. :-
a) The fifty paisa or above is rounded off to the next rupee.
b) The overtime rate shall be the double of the ordinary rate of wages.
c) To arrive at daily rates of wages the monthly rate shall be divided by 26 and rounded off to the next rupee.

29/4/26
Addl. Secretary to the
Government of Tripura.

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